



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/024,679 Confirmation No. 2932
Applicants : Alfred E. Keller
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For : Short Contact Time Catalytic Partial Oxidation Process for Recovering Sulfur
From An H₂S-Containing Gas Stream

TC/A.U. : 1754
Examiner : Timothy C. Vanoy

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**AMENDMENT AND
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JUNE 26, 2003**

Sir:

This Amendment and Supplemental Response is submitted in further reply to the Office Action of June 26, 2003. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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